



DAILY ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN

Friday, November 20, 2015

A-Day

TODAY'S EVENTS

Regular Bell Schedule

Senior Breakfast & Picture, 2nd Period

[Basketball - JV Men @ Cary 5:30 pm](#)

[Basketball - JV Women vs Cary 5:30 pm](#)

[Basketball - V Men @ Cary 7:00 pm](#)

[Basketball - V Women vs Cary 7:00 pm](#)

PARENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Interested in volunteering? The WELL needs you. They are looking for passionate folks to help high schoolers achieve academic success. Subjects needed: Math 1, 2, and 3; Into to college math; chemistry; and pre-calculus.

Contact Rebekah Dixon at rdixon@wade.org.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [GENERAL]

Congratulations to junior Jack Messenger who set a new school record in the 50 yard freestyle with a time of 21.95 at our first swim meet of the season Tuesday night.

Congratulations to the following students who were selected by Wake County to move on to the State Selection Process for Governor's School:

Jack Garside - Mathematics
Carly Grissom - Theatre
Samantha Messie - French
Miranda Wolfe - French
Mary Milo Woodley - Dance

From the WELL:

1. Fin\$mart kicks off on December 8th from 3-4 pm here at the WELL. Sign up can be found online at <http://www.wade.org/portfolio-item/finsmart/>
2. WELL only open Monday and Tuesday of next week.
3. SAT Boot Camp: November 21st
4. ACT Boot Camp: December 5th
5. Deciding between the new SAT or ACT? Visit the WELL Saturday, December 12th for Kaplan's Free Combo [ACT/SAT] Test. Sign up at the WELL.

STUDENT ANNOUNCEMENTS [JUNIORS & SENIORS]

Monday, November 23rd, is the LATE REGISTRATION DEADLINE for the December 5th SAT.

RECURRING ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Broughton baseball teams' annual **flapjack fundraiser** will be held on Saturday, December 5th from 8:00-10:00am at the K&W Cafeteria in Cameron Village. The JV and Varsity baseball players will be selling tickets. Tickets are \$8.00/person and include pancakes, bacon or sausage, eggs, coffee, and OJ.

The International Festival will take place the evening of December 3. Auditions for the International Festival entertainment will be on November 20, 23, and 24 right after school in the band room (2215). Students who are interested in auditioning should sign-up for a time outside the Theatre classroom (2210).

The Reflections Art contest, sponsored by the PTSA, judged 50 entries by Broughton students this week. All participating students received 5 service hours. The Reflections committee announces the following honorable mentions: Giuila Saghiddu, Pricess Matasa, Michael Iwniszem & Lawson Strickland. Congratulations to these students for excellent visual art pieces.

The following students have won at the Broughton level and will head on to the county level for judging...congratulations and good luck to the following:

Visual Art Winners

Sahian Irene Sanchez
Sophie White
Addie Wilson
Alison Hughes
Grayson Garcia
Atticus Rex
Elijah DeLaTour Dupavillion
Veronica Markey

Photography Winners

Brienna Kane
Anvita Panajkar

Literature Winners

Anvita Panajkar
Sydeny Gyurek

"BHS DANCE STUDENTS RAISING MONEY FOR LA DANCE TRIP" Some of Broughton High School's dance students will be traveling to Los Angeles in January, 2016! We have launched a Go Fund Me campaign to support with the trip expenses. Please visit our site and feel free to invite friends, family, and the world through Facebook Twitter email etc. to visit as well. BHS LA DANCE TRIP campaign can be found at:<https://www.gofundme.com/ec7vaztg> (When making donations, you can keep your donation anonymous/private by checking the box below your name)" **A successful fundraiser this year will help us on a larger scale next year to benefit guest artists for the department!!**

COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

The Raleigh Parks, Recreation and Cultural Resources invites you to volunteer for this year's Holiday Express, which transforms Pullen Amusement Park into a Holiday wonderland. Volunteers are needed to assist with crafts, activities, and games for child and family participants. To volunteer, you must be at least 15 years old and register online. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Thanks, and we look forward to having you volunteer with us! Ashley Dean, Volunteer Services Coordinato, City of Raleigh, Parks, Recreation and Cultural Resources, PO Box 590, Raleigh, NC 27601, Phone: 919-996-4810, Ashley.deans@raleighnc.gov.

Broughton students are invited to volunteer at this year's Winterfest, sponsored by the Downtown Raleigh Alliance on Saturday, Dec. 5th. Volunteer shifts are available throughout the day or evening to fit all schedules! Students can sign up for multiple slots if they choose. Go to this link <http://vols.pt/GPRuqD> to register and sign up for volunteer shifts. Contact Mary Rinne Jackson, maryrinne.jackson@gmail.com with questions.

Community Service At The WELL during November : Feed the Pack Food Pantry Drive. All month long. For every three cans, students receive 1 hour of community service. Collection boxes in the lobby of the WELL.

Need some Community Service Hours? Joyner Elementary School is looking for 4 volunteers to help with their first ever Dance-a-Thon on Friday, November 20th from 5-8pm under the Joyner overhang. This Dancefest will feature D.J. Joe Bunn, The Broughton Dance Team, Food Trucks, contests, and Glow-in-the-dark dance fun! Interested in volunteering? Hurry and sign up! We need 4 volunteers to help sell water, candy and donuts. Each of the 4 volunteers will receive credit for 3 community service hours. So come join us for a night of fun! And if you feel like breaking out some dance moves with the kids...bring it! (Not required). Thanks Broughton! Leigh Wolitski, 919-606-5219, leigh@etelli.com.

The North Hills Annual Tree Lighting will take place **Saturday, Nov 21st from 4-8pm.** At this event not only do we kick-off the "Christmas Season" at North Hills by having Santa light the tree, but we also provide free activities for children attending the event. This year we will have an inflatable obstacle course, trackless trains, snow slopes and

a kids craft tent. Ideally we are looking for volunteers to assist us in staffing these children activities, ensuring the safety of participants. We would love to have Broughton students help out. If interested, contact Kristen Murray, Events & Production Coordinator, at kmurray@kanerealitycorp.com. For more information, visit <http://visitnorthhills.com/midtownevents/>.

Scholarship Opportunities for Underclassmen

***Action For Nature International Young Eco-Hero Awards.** Action For Nature [AFN], a non-profit organization, has created the International Young Eco-Hero Awards to recognize and reward the successful individual environmental initiatives of young people ages 8 to 16. The winners receive a cash prize and a special certificate, as well as public recognition on the AFN website and elsewhere. The judges are experts in environmental science, biology and environmental health. Applications will be judged according to originality, difficulty, organization, length of time devoted to the project, use of outside resources, and the impact on the environment. The project must concern environmental health, be self-initiated [not one assigned by a teacher or other adult], and completed or close to completion. To apply, go online at http://www.actionfornature.org/award_application.aspx. January deadline.

*BBG Communications, Inc., offers the **Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award**, valued at \$500, to recognize and reward a student who demonstrated a passion for volunteering, while maintaining a high level of academic achievement. Applicants must have a 3.5+ GPA and must have completed a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer work during the past 2 years. Applicants must also submit an essay on the following topic: Explain in less than 1000 words why you have chosen to volunteer your time with the organization(s) that you have and how your experience has changed your life. Applications can be found by going to <http://www.bbgcommunicationscorp.com>. Deadline: November 29, 2015.

***CaptainU \$2,000 Student-Athlete Scholarship.** CaptainU, the leading college sports recruiting platform, is awarding a \$2,000 scholarship every quarter to a top student-athlete looking to play at the next level. In addition to a chance to win a scholarship, you can get noticed by over 16,000 college coaches and use our proven recruiting software to find the college programs that are the right fit for you and make a college team. The \$2,000 CaptainU Student-Athlete Scholarship is open to all student-athletes (Freshmen – Seniors + Junior College) who plan to attend a 4 year college. Applicants must be currently enrolled in a high school or junior college, planning to attend a four-year university, and complete a free Captain U Profile. **One student will be selected each quarter.** Applications will be judged on profile completeness, recruiting activity on CaptainU, and promotion of CaptainU. Winners will be announced on the Facebook fan page. One entry per person. For more information and to apply, visit [CaptainU \\$2,000 Student-Athlete Scholarship](#). Deadline: August 31, 2015.

***The Christophers Annual High School Poster Contest** is open to high school students in grades 9-12. Students may enter the competition and win scholarship money by creating a poster that relates to how "One Person Can Make A Difference." Each year, 8 students will be awarded scholarship money by creating a poster that relates to a specific theme; the theme changes each year. The contest gives students an opportunity to utilize their artistic talent, to be reminded that every student matters, and to win money that will help them pay for college. The Christophers is a Christian-based, non-profit organization founded in 1945 and is based on the premise that every individual is unique and can contribute something special to the world that will improve the lives of others. The organization is headquartered in New York. **The deadline for this scholarship is February 17, 2016, and the award amount is usually \$100 - \$1,000. For more details, visit www.christophers.org/page.aspx?pid=274**

***The Courageous Persuaders Program** is a program in which high school students create television commercials targeted at middle school students to warn them about the dangers of alcohol use. The competition is open to all high school students --- not only those taking video production. Emphasis is placed on concept and the message, not on production values. The grand prize-winning commercial actually airs on TV as a public service announcement. Participants gain valuable experience, are honored in a Hollywood-style awards banquet and, most importantly, have an opportunity to save lives. For more information, go online at www.courageouspersuaders.com/contest.htm. February 11, 2016 deadline.

*Applicants for **The Don't Text and Drive Scholarship** must be a high school freshman, sophomore, junior, or senior or a current or entering college or graduate school student of any level. Home schooled students are also eligible. There is no age limit. You must also be a U.S. citizen or legal resident. Applicants must complete the application form and write a 140-character message about texting while driving. The winner will receive a **\$1,000** scholarship! The due date for The Don't Text and Drive Scholarship is September 30, 2015, which coincides with

September's No Texting while Driving Day. To apply, go online at <http://www.digitalresponsibility.org/dont-text-and-drive-scholarship/>.

*The **Doodle 4 Google** scholarship is one of their most popular programs from the big G. This scholarship is open to students from Kindergarten to grade 12—students in elementary, middle, and high school are all eligible to apply! This scholarship is primarily an artistic competition—the winning student will **receive a \$30,000 college scholarship**. And that is not all! In addition to the college scholarship, students will receive a \$50,000 technology grant for their school! Each year this program has a theme—for 2013 is “My Best Day Ever...” (it is purposely meant to be open-ended). The application can be found online at <https://www.google.com/doodle4google/> Deadline: March.

*The **DuPont Challenge Science Essay Competition** is asking students in grades 7-12 to consider our most important challenges by researching and writing a 700–1,000-word science essay. The DuPont Challenge, North America's premier science essay competition, encourages students to develop a better understanding and passion for science, technology, engineering and math (STEM). The categories that students can choose to research and write about are: Ø Together, we can **feed** the world.; Together, we can build a secure **energy** future.; Ø Together, we can **protect** people and the environment and : Ø Together, we can be **innovative** anywhere. Essays will be judged in two divisions: Junior Division (grades 7, 8 and 9) and Senior Division (grades 10, 11 and 12). More than \$100,000 in total awards will be distributed to the top winners and honorable mentions in each division. Awards for the top three winners in each division include \$5,000 U.S. Savings Bonds for the first place winners, \$3,000 U.S. Savings Bonds for the second place winners and \$1,000 U.S. Savings Bonds for the third place winners. Honorable mentions in both divisions each receive a \$200 U.S. Savings Bond as well. (All listed values for U.S. Savings Bonds represent their value at maturity.) All winners receive digital reference materials from Britannica Digital Learning and the NBC Learn Science Collection for both their personal use and for their entire school. In addition, the top three winners in each division plus a parent and their sponsoring teacher receive an expenses-paid Awards Trip to the Walt Disney World® Resort and Kennedy Space Center in Florida. NASA will provide an exclusive tour of the Kennedy Space Center and host an awards luncheon in honor of the winning students and teachers. Student entries will be accepted via online submission **from Nov. 15, 2015, to Jan. 31, 2016**. For more information, including official rules, entry form, details on awards and additional media, please visit <http://thechallenge.dupont.com/essay/official-entry-form/>, created to honor the memory of the heroes of the 1986 Challenger space shuttle, is true to the flight's educational mission—to “touch the future.”

*The National Academy of Engineering (NAE) has officially launched a new *EngineerGirl* website along with the 13th annual **EngineerGirl Essay Contest**. The contest is entitled, “Engineering: Essential to Our Health,” and it can be found on the new website (EngineerGirl.org). Students are encouraged to write about the role of engineering in helping to prevent and treat the most deadly conditions in the world today. Participation in the contest is open to **both girls and boys** in grades 3-12 and submissions must be entered by 6:00 pm (EST) on **February 1, 2016** All winning entries will be published on the *EngineerGirl* website and winners will receive cash prizes: first place winners \$500, second place winners \$250, third place winners \$100. In your own words describe **ONE** technology used in a sport that you enjoy, and tell how different types of engineers contributed to its design and manufacture. Explain why the technology was developed (What problem were the engineers trying to solve?). Explain the constraints engineers faced in developing a solution and why specific design choices were made (i.e., Would adding functionality make it too big or too fragile or would a stronger design be too expensive?). Describe the design process that engineers will use to improve the technology in the future. Include details about how different engineering disciplines may be involved in that process. **No more than 1500 words**. Submit an essay that meets the contest description through the **Online Submission Form**

***The Foot Locker Scholar Athletes Program**. This program gives high school students who are active in sports and in their communities, as well as outstanding students, an opportunity to win a \$20,000 college scholarship. Students must be planning to attend a four-year college. Eligibility requirements include a grade point average of 3.0 or above, U.S. citizenship, and active in either high school, intramural or community sports. Winning students may choose any accredited four-year college or university to attend. Applicants will be required to answer two essay questions on what they have learned from their involvement in sports and how sports has given them leadership skills. In addition, one recommendation from a teacher, coach or other mentor is required. **The deadline for this scholarship is DECEMBER 17, 2015, and the award amount is usually \$20,000. For more details, visit <https://footlockerscholarathletes.com/>**

***Hunter Garner Scholarship**. This is a scholarship competition called Project Yellow Light for high school students and college students. The competition involves producing a **one minute video** focused on encouraging friends to avoid distractions while driving. The scholarship is named after Hunter Garner from Fredericksburg, Virginia, who died at the age of 16 in an auto accident on June 10, 2007. Hunter's parents and sister established the scholarship to encourage more teens to develop safe driving habits. First-place winner receives a \$5,000 scholarship, second-place is awarded a \$2,000 scholarship, and a \$1,000 scholarship goes to third place. In addition, the first-place

winner will have their video distributed to 1,600 television stations throughout the nation as a Ad Council public service announcement. Videos can include one person, groups, a cartoon or a music video. Videos will be judged on how they effectively motivate young people to avoid distractions while driving. **The contest opens October 31 and the deadline for this scholarship is usually in APRIL of each year, and the award amount is usually \$1,000 - \$5,000. For more details, visit www.projectyellowlight.com/**

*The **JFK Profile in Courage Essay Contest** is once again being offered to United States high school students in grades 9 through 12 attending public, private, parochial, or home schools. The first place winner will receive a **\$10,000 prize**, a second place winner will receive \$1,000, and up to 5 finalists will receive \$500. This contest asks students to write an **essay of 1,000 words or less** on "a U.S. elected official who has chosen to do what is right, rather than what is expedient." Specifically, this year's entries must deal with the following prompt: *Describe and analyze an act of political courage by a United States elected official that took place during or after 1956. Include an analysis of the obstacles, risks, and consequences associated with the act. The essay may concern an issue at the local, state, national, or international level.* Essays will be accepted starting September 1, 2015, and the **final submission deadline is January 6, 2016**. For contest information, registration, and to submit your essay, visit the Profile in Courage Essay Contest at www.ifklibrary.org.

*The **Joe Foss Institute Independence Day Scholarship Contest "Adopt A Veteran"** is open to U.S citizens of all national backgrounds that are currently studying in the United States or in an American military school out of the country. Eligible contestants must be high school (9th—12th) students in a public, private, alternative, parochial school, or a home study program. The three winners will receive \$5,000, \$2,500, and \$1,000 scholarships to the accredited U.S. college or university of their choices. Applicants must find a military veteran that they do not already know and immerse themselves in that person's life. This is NOT simply an interview. Spend time with him/her. Get to know him. Be his friend. Discover his history, his feelings then and now, how he would like to spend the rest of his life. What does he enjoy doing, talking about? How did his service affect his life? Be special to him. Make an impact on his life. Where do you find a vet that you don't know? Everywhere. Ask adult friends who they know, go to the VFW, the VA hospital, American Legion, ask your teachers, etc. Then write a 1500 word essay about your experience. Include your knowledge of Veterans Day, how you plan to observe and honor it, your own feelings about "your" vet and all veterans in general. Entries must be submitted electronically by email to Scholarship@JoeFossInstitute.org by Sunday, November 15, 2015, 11:59 p.m. MST. No exceptions will be made for late entries. For more information, visit <http://www.joefossinstitute.org>. Please email questions to: scholarshipJFI@cox.net.

***NCAC [National Coalition Against Censorship] Youth Free Expression Film Contest** is open to high school students age 19 and under. Students can enter the contest by submitting a film that expresses their belief in their First Amendment rights and the issue of Free Speech. All entries are judged by writers, actors, and filmmakers and evaluated based on content, artistic and technical merit, and creativity. Films can be documentaries, animation, experimental, satire, fictional narrative, or music and must be four minutes or less. Applicants must be U.S. citizens. Three winners are chosen to receive cash prizes and a trip to New York City to attend the Youth Voices Uncensored event. The first-place winner also receives a scholarship to the New York Film Academy. Since 2005, the National Coalition Against Censorship (NCAC) has been rewarding youth for their outstanding work in film. The purpose of the film contest is to encourage youth to use film creatively to express their feelings about free speech. The theme for the 12th Annual Youth Free Expression Film Contest is "THAT'S NOT FUNNY! CAN COMEDY CROSS A LINE?" **The deadline for this scholarship is December 14, 2015, and the award amount is usually \$250 - \$5,000. For more details, visit ncac.org/project/film-contest/.**

***Odenza Marketing Group Volunteer Award.** To be eligible for the Odenza Marketing Group Volunteer Award an applicant must be between the ages of 16 and 22, possess a GPA of 2.5 or higher, and must have contributed at least 50 hours of volunteer service within his/her community over the last 12 months. To apply, visit <http://www.studentscholarships.org/college.php>. Deadline: December 30, 2015.

*The **Shout It Out Scholarship** is your chance to win \$1500 for telling the world what's on your mind! The folks at Unigo want to hear what you have to say, so let them hear you loud and clear! **Applicants must be:** Thirteen (13) years of age or older at the time of application; legal residents of the fifty (50) United States or the District of Columbia; and, currently enrolled (or enroll no later than the fall of 2021) in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. **This is an easy essay scholarship! All you have to do is submit an online short written response (250 words or less) for the question:** "If you could say one thing to the entire world at once,

what would it be and why?" The winner of the Shout It Out Scholarship will receive \$1500! All applications for the Shout It Out Scholarship must be received by September 30th, 2015. To apply, go online at <https://scholarships360.org/shout-it-out-scholarship/>.

***ScholarshipPoints.com** offers scholarships for high school freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Members earn scholarship points for doing what they already do online: shopping, reading blogs, playing games, searching the web, taking surveys, and more! The more you do – the more points you earn – the more chances you have at winning a scholarship. ScholarshipPoints is free to join online at www.scholarshippoints.com. Deadline: Final day of each month.

***Soroptimist International of Raleigh's Violet Richardson Award.** SIR will recognize a female between 14 and 17 years old for her volunteer efforts with an award of \$500 for her and an award for \$250 for the charity that she volunteers with. The Raleigh Club winner will become eligible to compete for additional awards of up to \$2,500. Applications are available online at <http://www.soroptimistraleigh.org/documents/VRAApplication-Writeable%202014> . December deadline.

***The Torch Scholarship**, offered by the Better Business Bureau, recognizes students who personify high ethics as demonstrated through leadership, community service, overall personal integrity and academic excellence. Scholarship prizes of \$2,000 [first place], \$1,500 [second place], and \$1,000 [third place] will be awarded. To be eligible, students must submit a 400-500 word essay, along with an application, transcript and letter of recommendation from a BBB Accredited Business. Completed application packets are due on November 30, 2015. For more information or to download an application, visit <https://www.bbb.org/raleigh-durham/educational-foundation/torch-scholarships/>

***Unigo.com I Have A Dream Scholarship** is open to students who are age 13 and older and are U.S. citizens. Students must either plan to attend college by the fall of 2021, or currently be enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution of higher education. Applicants must submit an essay about their dreams. Essays can be up to 250 words and can include any dream, whether it's a dream about what they want for their future, or about an unusual dream. One essay will be chosen to receive a scholarship that will make their educational dreams come true. Eligible post-secondary institutions can include a college, university or trade school. Essays must be original and unpublished stories. Stories will be judged by content, creativity and originality, spelling and grammar. The deadline for this scholarship is January 31, 2016, and the award amount is usually \$1,500. For more details, visit <https://www.unigo.com/scholarships/our-scholarships/i-have-a-dream-scholarship#fromscholarshipexperts>

***UniversityTutor.com** holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest. Any student over the age of 16 is eligible and students simply need to submit a 300 word essay responding to that month's essay prompt. The winner is selected each month by UniversityTutor.com personnel. Here is a link to our scholarship contest: <http://www.universitytutor.com/scholarship-contest>

***Veterans of Foreign Wars' Voice of Democracy Scholarship Program.** Students compete by writing and recording a broadcast script on an annual patriotic theme. Prizes and scholarships are awarded at the local, district, state and national level. State winners receive an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. in April to tour the city, meet our nation's leaders, be honored by the VFW and its Ladies Auxiliary and receive their portion of \$148,000 in national awards, the top scholarship being \$30,000. The theme for 2015-2016 is: **"My Vision For America"** Applicants should record their reading of the draft to a CD. The recording can be no shorter than 3 minutes and no longer than 5 minutes [plus or minus 5 seconds]. Entries begin at the Post level. Once the applicant creates their essay and completes burning the audio version to a CD, they can submit their typed version, CD and the Voice of Democracy entry form to their local participating VFW Post by the November 1 deadline. For more information and to get an application, visit https://www.vfw.org/uploadedFiles/VFWorg/MY_VFW/VoiceofDemocracyEntryFormandBrochure.pdf or see Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center..

***Youth Free Expression Film Contest.** The National Coalition Against Censorship (NCAC) challenges young people all across the nation to think about their First Amendment rights and the issue of Free Speech. Contestants must be either living in the U.S. or its territories (but need not be citizens), and must be age 19 or younger on the day the film is submitted. Films will be judged on content, artistic and technical merit, and creativity. Judges will be drawn from a panel of renowned writers, actors, and filmmakers. The theme for the 12th Annual Youth Free Expression Film Contest is **"THAT'S NOT FUNNY! CAN COMEDY CROSS A LINE?"** The National Coalition Against Censorship asks teens to create a short film addressing the notions of sanitized satire and offensive humor. Your film must be four minutes or less. Entries can be videos of any kind, including documentary, animation, experimental, satire, fictional narrative, or music video. Applications must be

submitted (and films uploaded to [YouTube](#)). All films must be produced in 2015 and address the contest theme. The top three winners receive cash prizes of \$1,000, \$500, and \$250 plus a trip with a guest to New York City to attend the Youth Voices Uncensored event in the spring. All films must be uploaded to YouTube and [submitted online](#) no later than Monday, December 14, 2015. For more information, visit <http://ncac.org/update/film-contest-application/>.

***Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award.** BBG Corporate Communications proved the Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award to recognize and reward a student who demonstrates a passion for volunteering while maintaining a high level of academic achievement. Applicants must have completed a minimum of 50 hours of volunteer work over the past 2 years while maintaining a GPA of 3.5 or greater. Applicants must also explain in less than 1000 words why they have chosen to volunteer their time with the organization(s) that they have and how the experience has changed their lives. The scholarship is valued at \$500 and the deadline is November 29, 2015. To apply go online at <http://www.studentscholarships.org/volunteer.php>.

Summer Enrichment/Leadership Opportunities [2016]

Duke Youth Programs is a part of Duke University Continuing Studies and has provided summer academic enrichment for academically motivated youth for over 30 years. Each summer approximately 650 youth from around the nation and world, representing some 22 states and 5 different countries, attend one of our summer programs. Our camps open for registration on December 1st! We offer 13 different programs for students from grades 6-11. All programs seek to engage learners in innovative, interactive, transformative learning experiences. Co-curricular social and recreational activities are carefully planned and delivered to complement the instructional day. The camp "learning community" approaches learning as a shared responsibility among students, instructors, and counselors. For more information on how to register visit www.learnmore.duke.edu/youth or call 919-684-2827.

Oxbridge Academic Programs offers academic summer programs in Oxford, Cambridge, St. Andrews, Paris, Montpellier, Barcelona, Salamanca, Los Angeles, New York and Harvard. The programs in Oxford, Cambridge, St. Andrews, UCLA, Harvard and New York offer students the chance to challenge themselves intellectually in disciplines such as Art History, Literature, Politics and Economics, Drama, Creative Writing, and Speech and Debate as well as Medicine, Law, Business, Architecture and Filmmaking. The programs in Barcelona and Paris offer intensive Spanish and French classes at all levels. By contrast, the programs in Montpellier and Salamanca are complete immersion. For more information, including dates offered, visit www.oxbridgeprograms.com.

Details of Oxford Royale Academy's Oxford Summer School 2016, which will take place in June, July and August are available in the Guidance Resource Center. The Academy offers more than 50 study options plus the courses are all residential in colleges of the University of Oxford, or at their historic study centre, Yarnton Manor. For more information, check with Mr. Rudder in Room 1209.

Spoletto Study Abroad 2016. Located in the historic town of Spoleto, Italy, Spoleto Study Abroad provides students with the tools to enhance their area of artistic expertise by working closely with talented faculty and motivated peers from around the world. Summer programs are offered from July 7-31 and include courses in vocal music, drama, creative writing, instrumental music, visual art, photography and filmmaking. For more information, visit www.spoletostudyabroad.com.